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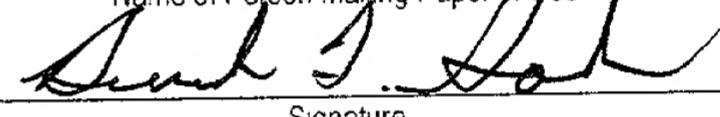
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Re: New U.S. Patent Application
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING A DISPLAY PANEL,
METHOD FOR ADHERING AN ADHESIVE SHEET AND METHOD FOR
ADHERING PLATES
By: Keiichi FURUKAWA, Masakazu OKADA, Tatsuo
TANIGUCHI, Masanori NEGORO, Masashi NISHIKADO, Ken
MATSUOKA, and Hideo HOTOMI
Attorney Docket: 15162/03420

Dear Sir:

Enclosed for filing are the following papers relating to
METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING A DISPLAY PANEL, METHOD FOR
ADHERING AN ADHESIVE SHEET AND METHOD FOR ADHERING PLATES, Keiichi
FURUKAWA, Masakazu OKADA, Tatsuo TANIGUCHI, Masanori NEGORO,
Masashi NISHIKADO, Ken MATSUOKA, and Hideo HOTOMI, inventors:

- (1) Specification (321 pages, including 82 claims and an abstract);
- (2) Unexecuted Declaration and Power of Attorney (12 pages);

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- (3) Formal Drawings (41 sheets);
- (4) Transmittal letter (2 pages) with PrintEFS Patent Application Bibliographic Data (3 pages);
- (5) Transmittal letter (2 pages) with six Certified Copies of Priority Documents (48 pages, 43 pages, 54 pages, 40 pages, 77 pages, and 27 pages); and
- (6) Information Disclosure Statement (2 pages) with attached PTO-1449 form (1 page) and a copy of the cited reference (1 reference).

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